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SERIAL NUMBER FILING DATE FIRST NAMED INVENTOR ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 07/808,751 12/17/91 YOCK Р 18000.5003.4 JAWORSKAMMER 33M1/0805 CROSBY, HEAFEY, ROACH & MAY 700 SOUTH FLOWER ST., STE. 2200 PAPER NUMBER ART UNIT LOS ANGELES, CA 90024 3305 16 DATE MAILED: 08/05/94 This is a communication from the examiner in charge of your application. COMMISSIONER OF PATENTS AND TRADEMARKS Responsive to communication filed on 6-10-94 This action is made final. ☐ This application has been examined A shortened statutory period for response to this action is set to expire. ... days from the date of this letter. Failure to respond within the period for response will cause the application to become abandoned. 35 U.S.C. 133 THE FOLLOWING ATTACHMENT(S) ARE PART OF THIS ACTION: 2. D Notice re Patent Drawing, PTO-948. з. 🗆 Notice of Art Cited by Applicant, PTO-1449. 4. \square Notice of informal Patent Application, Form PTO-152. ☐ Information on How to Effect Drawing Changes, PTO-1474. 6. SUMMARY OF ACTION 1. Claims are pending in the application. Of the above, claims are withdrawn from consideration. 2. Claims 1-23 Claims 4. Claims 5. Claims are objected to. 6 Claims __ are subject to restriction or election requirement. 7. This application has been filed with informal drawings under 37 C.F.R. 1.85 which are acceptable for examination purposes. 8. Formal drawings are required in response to this Office action. 9. The corrected or substitute drawings have been received on _ _ . Under 37 C.F.R. 1.84 these drawings are · □ acceptable. □ not acceptable (see explanation or Notice re Patent Drawing, PTO-948). 10. The proposed additional or substitute sheet(s) of drawings, filed on _ . has (have) been 🔲 approved by the examiner. disapproved by the examiner (see explanation). _____, has been approved. disapproved (see explanation). 12. 🔲 Acknowledgment is made of the claim for priority under U.S.C. 119. The certified copy has 🔲 been received 🔲 not been received _____; filed on _ been filed in parent application, serial no. ___ 13. Since this application appears to be in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under Ex parte Quayle, 1935 C.D. 11; 453 O.G. 213.

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This application is in condition for allowance except for a formal matter. 37 CFR 1.178 states that "...The application may be accepted for examination in the absence of (the surrender of) the original patent or the affidavit or declaration (to the effect that the original patent is lost or inaccessible), but one or the other must be supplied before the case is allowed. " (See also MPEP Section 1416).

Accordingly, prosecution on the merits is closed and a TWO MONTH period is set for response to this formal requirement in accordance with MPEP Section 710.02(b).

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Francis J. Jaworski whose telephone number is (703) 308-3061.

FJJ August 4, 1994 PRIMARY EXAMINER
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